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The Peruvien Communist Party (PCP) is now concentrating its efforts on obtaining as many signatures as possible for the pro-peace appeal which is circulating in most countries of the world. Communist Alfredo Mathews continues to direct the campaign for signatures, and has established his headquarters in the office of Rodolfo Ponce Martinez on the fourth floor of the Palace of Justice.

On 28 July 1950, cell leaders in the Lima area attended a meeting and received forms on which they were to collect signatures. They were instructed to intensify their efforts in order that the PCP, even though outlawed, might compare favorably with other Latin American Communist Parties in the total number of signatures obtained.

- another indication of increased pro-peace activities by the Communists, according to source, is the fact that 50 copies of the Cominform Spanish-language bulletin, Por Una Pez Duradera, Por Una Democracia Popular, are arriving weekly in Lima.\* Jorge Falcon, who receives the publication for local distribution, is attempting to increase the number of subscribers.
- Source has been able to identify the following as subscribers to the Cominform paper:

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4. The Communists are hopeful that the pro-peace campaign will receive some support in the Peruvian congress through Jose Uriel Garcia, well-known Communist sympathizer who was elected minority senator from Cuzco. So far, Uriel Garcia and other left-wingers in the newly-elected congress have been silent.

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The 28 July issue of Por Una Paz Duradera, Por Una Democracia Popular mentions the fact that the Peruvian Communist Party has called on the Peruvian people to protest against American "intervention" in Korea.

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